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In re application of:  
Humbleman *et al.*

For: Device Customized Home Network Top-  
Level Information Architecture

Application No.: 09/592,598

Filed: June 12, 2000

Group Art Unit:  
2179

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Commissioner for Patents  
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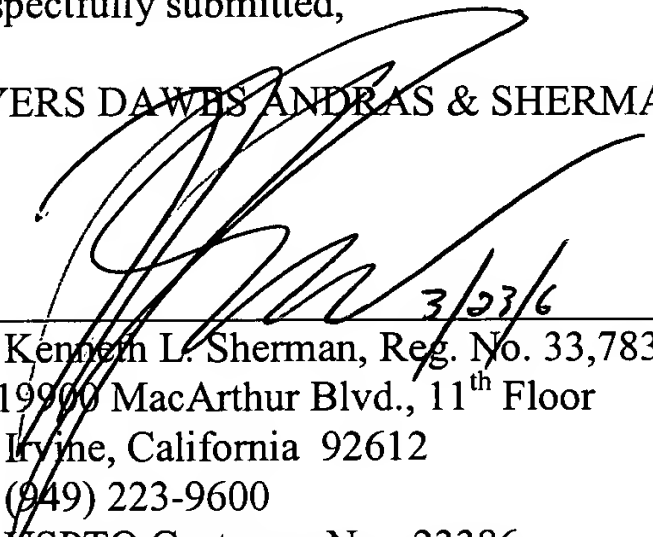
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**REPLY TO FINAL ACTION DATED DECEMBER 23, 2005**

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This is a Reply to the Final Action dated December 23, 2005. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 14 of this paper.